

Scientists have broken the code to a form of time travel that allows interaction with the past, but it takes years of legal litigation to finally settle on a process that was respected the sovereignty of any given timeline. Simply put, it was below the threshold of "timeline tamperment" put in place by Timespace regulation authorities.

At first it seemed like a strict guideline, then proved to be the cornerstone of it's retro-rennaissance appeal to a general consumer. Basically, the format would allow for someone to call radio stations in the past, posing as someone calling in from that era. At first it seemed like a consolation prize for a society beginning to be outraged by its leaders dictating their territorial freedom, as governments were attempting to seize authority over timespace by declaring it as a territory, and deciding we could only play walkie-talkie with our own ancestors. But with all new industries come all new ways of pioneering possibilities.

In the beginning it was a hefty processing fee, but dirt-cheap to mine for radio station contact numbers. Corporations didn't see an investment opportunity but some key "players" happened to have the resources to cover his processing fees and basically become the first "crossplay enabled" podcast between 2001 and 3001 Americans. His popularity helps reveal some of the mechanics involved in interacting with other timelines, since private efforts move at snail pace. People start to realize how comfortable they might be talking with someone What the world learns watching this is that every single convo in the available inventory has 1 specific timestamp that will be precise enough to be replayed an infinite amount of times. Therefore the market scrambles to find the self-refreshing variant of every conversation, and in the end keep us at home to continue playing the timestamp lottery. Being the owner of a high-value call meant you could issue an infinite number of rentals to the highest bidders, and continue generating any variations . The economy quickly made it's major shift off of a "summer of love" where we freely interfaced with whoever had the infini-play models... and then suddenly we discovered we had in fact caused micro-tampering which have the exact same dangerous potential as standard deviant tampering, depending on frequency. What seemed like a golden-ticket was really like the infected sample, which forced humanity to face its shame in realizing how much fertile land was wasted. Anyone who had been fortunate enough to secure an infini-play phone call, were now throwing themselves off of buildings in respect for those they preyed upon.

Seeing the exponential potential of this problem caused a movement in the dialogue for what we need to do in order to correct this trajectory. The commotion definitely generated some decent ideas, but it also drew a line in the sand between contemporaries and those who would be defined as rebellious. The 'wild-west' period seemed to never stabilize, and disillusioned young adults with nothing to lose, did what they have always done. Tested the limits. Their leaders had already been rolling dice with everyone's futures, and they figured they'd prefer to roll the next round themselves. A small group of 100 4kchan trolls coordinate for the day with the most available conversation purchases and are set to run some "home-brewed" diagnostic phone calls. With their digital anonimity they may be a bit more hidden, but don't think u can make payment like that. They spilled the beans and had key facts from historical data that would soon occur in the people's timelines.

They had to create a back-up from the day preceding the first interaction with the past. Seomthing they all could've sworn they had done.

AI_God himself was surprised that we were able to create such significant changes to the timeline, even just by whoring out infinite copies of non-devine-AI personality prints, but was even more eager to see if we could contain the variant-damage we were installing into our timeline.

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